

# TALES OF THE UNUSUAL

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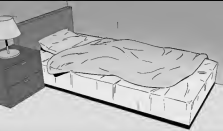
THE BREAK-IN: PART 1



WHEN I CAME HOME, THE HAMSTER WAS DEAD.



WHY HAD IT DIED? IT WAS RUNNING  
AROUND LIKE CRAZY JUST THIS MORNING...



I GAVE IT ENOUGH FOOD TOO..  
DID IT DIE OF OLD AGE?



WELL, SINCE HAMSTERS ALL LOOK ALIKE..  
SHOULD I JUST BUY ONE THAT LOOKS THE SAME..?



NO, IT'S NOT LIKE I KILLED IT ANYWAY.  
I'M TIRED SO I'LL JUST GET SOME SLEEP  
AND THINK ABOUT IT TOMORROW.



CLICK



UGH... IT'S ALREADY MORNING...  
SO WHAT SHOULD I DO ABOUT THE HAMSTER...?



HUH?



WAIT, WHERE DID IT GO? WAS IT STILL ALIVE?



IT ISN'T ANYWHERE IN THE ROOM.. WAIT..  
EVEN IF IT WERE ALIVE, HOW COULD IT ESCAPE..?



IT DIDN'T TURN UP EVEN THOUGH I SPREAD  
ITS FAVORITE FOOD EVERYWHERE.  
WHERE THE HECK COULD IT BE HIDING...?





A HAMSTER?

MAN.. THAT REALLY  
DOESN'T SUIT A GUY  
LIKE YOU WHO SERVED  
IN THE NAVY..



I WAS JUST WATCHING  
IT FOR MY LITTLE  
SISTER FOR A BIT.



OH YEAH? YOUR SISTER'S  
PRETTY YOUNG, RIGHT?  
SHE'LL GO NUTS IF SHE  
FINDS OUT.

WELL IT'S NOT  
LIKE I KILLED IT  
OR ANYTHING



TRUE. BY THE WAY,  
HAVE YOU FOUND  
A GIRLFRIEND YET?

YOU MUST BE GETTING  
LONELY LIVING ALL  
BY YOURSELF..

SAME AS YOU

HAHA,  
TOUCHÉ!

CLINK

HEY, BY THE WAY,  
SOMETHING SERIOUSLY  
BIZARRE HAPPENED  
TO ME TODAY...



UGH,, DID I HAVE TOO MUCH TO DRINK? I'M SO DIZZY,



AH, THE GROCERY STORE'S STILL OPEN. SHOULD I  
BUY SOME STUFF FOR MY HANGOVER TOMORROW..?



THAT'LL BE  
12,500 WON.



WHEW... I FINALLY MADE IT BACK.

CREAK-



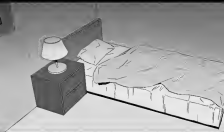
HUH?



WHERE DID THE HAMSTER CAGE GO?



I DON'T REMEMBER MOVING IT ANYWHERE..



SERIOUSLY.. WHERE THE HECK DID IT GO?





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DID MY BAG JUST DISAPPEAR?

W-WAIT.. IS THERE SOMEONE IN MY APARTMENT..?



WHAT'S GOING ON? MY PLACE IS WAY  
TOO SMALL FOR ANYONE TO HIDE..

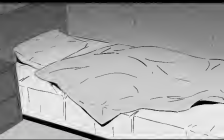


I CAN TELL AT A GLANCE THAT THERE'S  
NO ONE ELSE HERE, THIS IS SO BIZARRE.

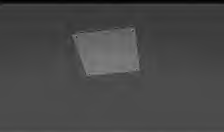


THE LOCK IS FINE.. SHOULD I CHANGE  
MY PASSWORD FOR NOW..?

BUT SHOULD I EVEN REPORT  
THIS TO THE POLICE OR NOT..?



IF I TELL THEM THAT A HAMSTER CAGE  
WENT MISSING AND THEN MY GROCERIES  
JUST DISAPPEARED RIGHT IN FRONT OF ME..



IT'S PRETTY OBVIOUS WHAT THEY'LL THINK.,

MAN.. I DON'T KNOW.. I JUST WANT TO  
GET SOME SLEEP, I'M BEAT.,



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IT DOESN'T LOOK LIKE ANYTHING  
ELSE HAS GONE MISSING..



I MUST HAVE BEEN SO DRUNK  
LAST NIGHT THAT I DROPPED THE  
GROCERIES SOMEWHERE..

I WAS REALLY LOSING IT..



BUT WHAT ABOUT THE HAMSTER CAGE..?



HUH?





WHAT THE..?



WHERE DID THE FAUCET GO..?



To be continued..



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